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House Resolution 1170

By: Representatives O'Neal of the 146th, Talton of the 145th, Harden of the 147th, and Sellier of the 136th

A RESOLUTION

- 1 Recognizing the Warner Robins American Little League softball team for winning the
- 2 Softball World Series and inviting the team and coaches to appear before the House of
- 3 Representatives; and for other purposes.
- 4 WHEREAS, the Warner Robins American Little League softball team demonstrated a feat
- 5 of greatness with a 14-2, four-inning victory over Crawford, Texas, to clinch the 2009
- 6 Softball World Series Championship; and
- WHEREAS, the team traveled to Portland, Oregon, in August, 2009, to prove to the country
- 8 that their program was a force to be reckoned with; and
- 9 WHEREAS, while aggressive base running and great defense helped advance the Warner
- 10 Robins American Little League softball team to the finals, it was superb offense and hard hits
- 11 that earned them the title of national champions; and
- 12 WHEREAS, by sending an incredible 26 batters to the plate in the first three innings, Warner
- 13 Robins scored twice in the first inning and six times each in the second and third innings; and
- 14 WHEREAS, during the championship game, two Warner Robins players, Carson Carriker
- 15 and Caityln Parker, went three-for-three at the plate, while pitcher Kaylee Albritton
- 16 dominated on the mound; and
- 17 WHEREAS, pushing these athletes to achieve mental and physical toughness, Manager
- 18 Emily Whaley displayed astute direction, dedication, and determination; and
- 19 WHEREAS, this magnificent team performed with precision throughout the season and have
- 20 come to earn their well-deserved reputation for high standards of athletic achievement,
- 21 quality of play, and superior sportsmanship.

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22 NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED BY THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES that

- 23 the members of this body commend the Warner Robins American Little League softball team
- 24 for its unparalleled achievements, congratulate the players and coaches on their national title,
- 25 and extend to them sincere best wishes for continued success in the future.
- 26 BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that the Warner Robins American Little League softball
- 27 team is invited to appear before the House of Representatives at a date and time to be fixed
- 28 by the Speaker of the House for the purpose of being recognized by the House and receiving
- an appropriate copy of this resolution.